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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Takeshi SUZUKI et al  
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For : PRINTING APPARATUS AND  
ELECTRONIC CAMERA  
Art Unit : 2622  
Examiner : Twyler Marie Lamb

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S I R :

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed  
April 6, 2006, the term for response to which expires on  
July 6, 2006.

**Amendments to the Claims** are set forth in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claim 1 is  
canceled; claim 2 is amended; and claims 3-8 are maintained.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.